

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

A B S T R A C T

Energy Department – Electrical Inspectorate Department – Upgradation of Standard Laboratory in the O/o Chief Electrical Inspector to Government and to set up five regional testing laboratories by sanctioning an amount of Rs. 63,28,000/- (Rupees Sixty three lakhs and twenty eight thousand only) – Permission – Accorded – Orders – Issued.

ENERGY (SERVICES) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 23

Dated: 7th June, 2012

Read:

From the Chief Electrical Inspector to Government Lr.No. CEIG/
Std.Lab/D.No.6247/11 dt.20.12.2011.

ORDER:

The Chief Electrical Inspector to Government in the reference read above has stated that the Electrical Inspectorate Department is having two Standard Laboratories one in the premises of Office of the Chief Electrical Inspector to Government, Mint Compound and other one Industrial Testing Development Laboratory (ITDL), Located at Lepakshi Compound, RTC 'X' Roads, Musheerabad, Hyderabad. The Standard Laboratory is having a facility to test reference standard meters for testing of energy meters of consumers. The erstwhile A.P.S.E.B. used to get their Electro – Mechanical R.S.S. Meters tested and calibrated in this Standard Laboratory. After all the Electro – Mechanical Energy Meters are being replaced by electronic Energy Meters of consumers of accuracy Class-I and below, the reference meter were also replaced with electronic reference Standard Meters of accuracy class 0.5 and 0.2 by the distribution companies, Transco, Genco and other meter manufacturing companies in place of electro mechanical RSS Meters. During the year 2010-2011, certain meters have been tested in the Standard Laboratory and the revenue collected is Rs. 3,98,310-00. There is only two testing laboratories in the State of Andhra Pradesh one is ETDC, Govt. of India Laboratory and other one is in the Private Sector and they cannot cater to the needs of testing the ERS meters. Hence, he has proposed to upgrade the Standard Lab to facilitate for testing of ERS Meters upto 0.2 class accuracy and also to set up Regional Laboratories in all the Regional Electrical Inspectors Office's at Kurnool, Vijayawada, Guntur, Visakhapatnam and Nizamabad .

2. He has also stated that the total expenditure needed for up gradation of Standard laboratory and setting up of five regional testing laboratories at Kurnool, Vijayawada, Guntur, Visakhapatnam and Nizamabad is

a)Standard laboratory o/o CEIG	Rs 37,63,000=00
b)5 no's Regional testing laboratories	Rs 25,65,000=00

(5 x 5,13,000/-)

Total expenditure
plus taxes applicable

Rs 63,28,000=00

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3. The Chief Electrical Inspector to Government has requested the Government to accord permission to upgrade the Standard laboratory in the office of the Chief Electrical Inspector to Government and to set up five regional testing laboratories by sanctioning an amount of Rs.63,28,000=00.

4. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby permit the Chief Electrical Inspector to Government to upgrade the Standard Laboratory in the O/o Chief Electrical Inspector to Government and to set up five regional testing laboratories at Kurnool, Viayawada, Guntur, Visakhapatnam and Nizamabad with the existing staff by sanctioning an amount of **Rs.63,28,000/- (Rupees sixty three lakhs and twenty eight thousands only) subject to crediting the revenue to Government Account.**

5. The amount sanctioned in para-4 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

“Major Head - 2045 Other Taxes and Duties on commodities and Services
Minor Head - 103 – Collection charges, Electricity Duty, Sub-Head - (02)
Regional Office, 500 Other charges, 503 Other expenditure(to be opened)
and credit the revenues to the Government under Head of Account 0043 – taxes and duties on electricity, Minor Head – 800 Other receipts, Sub-Head (81) other receipts”.

6. The Chief Electrical Inspector to Government is requested to take necessary further action in the matter.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (Expr.AHFFCS&E) Department vide their U.O.No.655/5/A2/ Exp.AHFFCS&E/2012 dt. 14.02.2012.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MUNINDER
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
The Chief Electrical Inspector to Government,
A.P., Hyderabad.
Copy to:
The Pay and Accounts Officer, A.P., Hyderabad.
The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.
The Finance (Expr.AHFFCS&E) Department.
The Energy (Pr.III) Department.
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Section Officer